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MOTION FOR LATE ACCEPTANCE OF RESPONSE OF WITNESS PLUNKETT TO MAIL ADVERTISING SERVICE ASSOCIATION INTERNATIONAL INTERROGATORIES MASA/USPS-T2-3(C) AND 4(A-B), REDIRECTED FROM WITNESS SECKAR (August 17, 1998)

The United States Postal Service hereby moves for late acceptance of witness Plunkett's responses to interrogatories MASA/USPS-T2–3(c) and 4(a-b), filed on August 4, 1998, and redirected from witness Seckar. While responses were prepared for filing on time last Friday, they were inadvertently not submitted for filing until today, one business day late. These responses were sent by facsimile to counsel for MASA earlier today, so the Postal Service does not believe that any significant prejudice will result from the late filing.

Respectfully submitted,

UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served the foregoing document upon all participants of record in this proceeding in accordance with section 12 of the Rules of Practice.

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